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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I want to keep my local suppliers. It's important that huge companies like AT&T not take over the market and squeeze out all their competition. Then consumers will have no choices, and everyone will be poorer for it--except AT&T will be richer.

We all know what happens when a company has no competition.

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